

Nicoma Park Elementary



May 2010

Wow, what a marvelous month of May! With field trips, Teacher Appreciation Week, Super Kids Day, and upcoming awards assemblies, pre-kindergarten promotion, and talent show, the end of the school year is approaching rapidly!

I am very proud of all our Falcons as they met my Principal's Reading Challenge and surpassed the school-wide goal of reading 9,000 books in 9 weeks! The total number of books read was 10,975, and I loved every minute of climbing the playground tree and visiting with students during their recess as we exchanged monkey talk and laughter! Our final grade-level winners, who I thoroughly enjoyed taking to lunch as part of my principal's payoff, are as follows: Jessica Thomas and Deven and Christopher Rabourn, pre-k; Hailey Jordan and Mark McGinley, kindergarten; and Missti Thomas and Jesce Johnson, first grade. I am looking forward to having Madison Brumley and Jake Lovinggood, both second graders, join me as Principals for the Day as we celebrate their achievements during the challenge. Terrific job to all NPE Falcons. Keep reading everyone!

Some important remaining calendar events include: Yearbook Signing, May 20, 2:30 p.m.; Second Grade orientation at NPE, May 21, 10:00 a.m.; Pre-k Promotion, May 24; Kindergarten Awards Assembly, May 25, 9:15 a.m.; First and Second Grade Awards Assembly, May 25, 10:15 a.m.; Talent Show, May 26; Last Day of School, May 26.

What a successful year it has been at Nicoma Park Elementary! I appreciate each family for your continual partnership and support of students and staff at NPE. Together we have achieved more! May each of you have a safe and super summer!

I enjoyed the learning adventure ~ it was a safari filled with success!

Dorothy Shetley, Principal